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METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A DASHBOARD SUB-ASSEMBLY, ESPECIALLY A  
VEHICLE-DASHBOARD CONSOLE

**RESUBMISSION OF APPLICATION DATA SHEET**

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Sir:

Applicants discovered a typographical error in the  
Prior Foreign Application section of the declaration previously  
filed on June 5, 2002, namely, "France Application No. 9906617"  
should be --France Application No. **99/08731**--.

We attach hereto a copy of the Application Data Sheet  
previously submitted with the original application on December  
31, 2001, as well as the cover page of the published  
international application, both of which indicate the correct  
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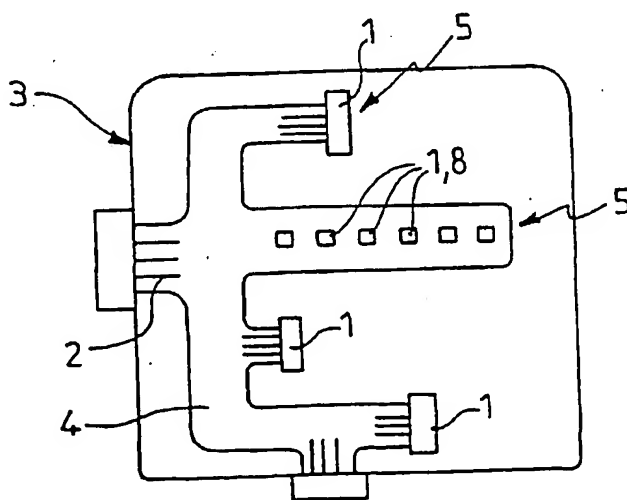
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(54) Title: METHOD FOR MAKING A DASHBOARD SUBASSEMBLY IN PARTICULAR A MOTOR VEHICLE  
DASHBOARD CONSOLE.

(54) Titre: PROCEDE DE FABRICATION D'UN SOUS-ENSEMBLE DE TABLEAU DE BORD NOTAMMENT CONSOLE DE  
TABLEAU DE BORD DE VEHICULE



(57) Abstract: The invention concerns a method for making a dashboard subassembly comprising electrical and/or electronic components (1) connected to conductors (2) and attached to a rigid support (3). The invention is characterised in that it consists in: providing a flexible mat (4) provided with said conductors (2); mounting said components (1) on said mat (4), connected to said electrical conductors (2); rigidising said mat (4) by overmoulding it with a material designed to form said support (3). The invention also concerns a dashboard subassembly, in particular a motor vehicle dashboard console, obtained by said method.

(57) Abrégé: L'invention concerne un procédé de fabrication d'un sous-ensemble de tableau de bord comprenant des composants électriques et/ou électroniques (1) connectés à des conducteurs (2) et assujettis à un support (3) rigide. Selon l'invention: on prévoit une nappe flexible (4) munie desdits conducteurs (2), on monte lesdits composants (1) sur

ladite nappe (4), en connexion avec lesdits conducteurs électriques (2), on rigidifie ladite nappe (4) en la surmoulant avec une matière destinée à constituer ledit support (3). L'invention concerne également un sous-ensemble de tableau de bord, notamment console de tableau de bord de véhicule, obtenu par le procédé de fabrication précédent.

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